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VASCULAR SMOOTH MUSCLE CELLS

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 to inform the United States Patent and Trademark Office of all references coming to the attention of each individual associated with the filing or prosecution of the subject application which are or may be material to the patentability of any claim of the application, Attorneys for Applicants respectfully direct the Examiner's attention to references **A01-02** and **D01-05** listed on the attached List of References Cited by Applicant.

References **A01-02** are issued United States patents and therefore are not being submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(ii). References **D01-02** are Office Actions issued for copending U.S. Application No. 11/703,191 ("the '191 application"), and references **D03-05** are Office Actions issued for copending U.S. Application No. 11/679,650 ("the '650 application"). The above-referenced application, the '191 application, and the '650 application all claim priority to U.S. Application No. 07/767,254 under 35 U.S.C. § 120. Copies of references **D01-05** are not provided, and the Examiner's attention is directed to the prosecution files of the '191 application and the '650 application for copies of these references.

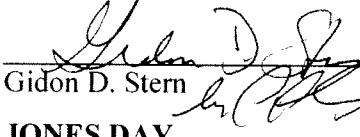
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Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner review the listed references and that the references be made of record in the file history of the application.

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